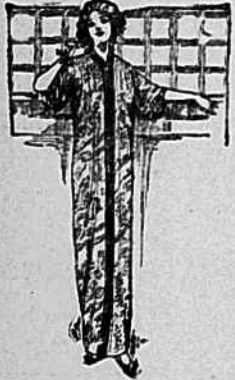


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Etc.

## Sketches of Little LD NEW YORK By N. M. Intyre

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Christy Mathewson has returned from a clay pigeon shooting trip to Omaha, where he won a lot of friends, including the clay pigeons which he could not touch. As a target shooter Mathewson can properly be classed as the best pitcher the Giants ever had. With Mathewson were Otis Crandall, Chief Bender and Harry Davis. In Kansas City they were joined by Dr. F. M. Plach, the noted physician, who is a crack shot.

Bender was leading Mathewson's team at the contest but his ability could not pull them through. If may have been the presence of Dr. Plach on the opposition slate un-der-standed. The name of Plach has been Bender's undoing once before—but why bring up the past? Chief Bender is one of the crack shots of the country. He has interested Mathewson in trap shooting just as Grantland Rice interested the twirler in golf. Mathewson wound up by defeating Rice at chasing the pill but he handles a gun just about as gracefully as Diamond Jim Brady trips the light fantastic.

Samuel L. Rothapfel, who quit coal mining to become a Napoleon of the movies, is back on Broadway after a visit to twenty-one big cities over the country. In each town he was tendered a banquet and in return he told how to make the film business better.

The city of Minneapolis gave him a loving cup high enough to be used as an umbrella stand and he was otherwise embarrassed. The banquet was so nourishing that he took on fifteen pounds and he says every time he goes into a restaurant he feels like making a speech.

In the grill of the Hotel Majestic the other day someone yelled "Hello Rothapfel!" and Sam got as far as "Gentlemen, this is an unexpected honor and unprepared as I am for public speaking"—when a friend stopped him.

R. M. Brinkerhoff, the Evening Mail cartoonist, gave a dinner the other night to some intimate friends in the artistic neighborhood of Washington Square. The chief article of food was spaghetti, and all the guests got along nicely except Herb Roth, who tried to eat the food in the regular way instead of inhaling it. As a result he almost strangled an innocent bystander.

The old Bowery is at last getting a touch of sunlight. The work of removing the old elevated tracks from the Bowery curb-lines has been completed. The change means the lifting of an incubus of thirty-seven years standing from the sidewalks of the famous thoroughfare and the bringing of light and fresh air to store fronts. The Bowery has been a dark and dingy street night and day since 1875.

The elevated tracks are now grouped over the middle of the street, and are so greatly modified as a nuisance that citizens wonder why they were ever anywhere else. The new condition gives the Bowery a chance to feel and reveal its splendid width.

Property values and utilities will be affected by the shifting of the elevated structure. It may come about

#### MEN LIVE CHEAP.

EMPORIA, Kan., Dec. 8.—A record in inexpensive living has been established by a club of men students headed by Dee Lauver at the Kansas normal school at Emporia. Room, board and heavy washing at a total cost of \$7.75 a month is the record. "It's the best board and room in town," says Dee Lauver. "We have the upper apartment at a house where we all live. One of our men does the cooking and we buy our goods in wholesale lots."

#### SPECIAL COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Notice is given that in pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Harrison County, West Virginia, duly made and entered by said Court on the day of October, 1915, in chancery cause therein pending, in which Margaret Shinn is the plaintiff and John W. Fulkner and others are the defendants, being daily entered of record in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court in Chancery Order Book No. 10, page 215. The undersigned Special Commissioner, who was appointed by said decree to make sale of the real estate hereinafter mentioned, will on

SATURDAY, THE 11TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1915,

at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon of said day at the front door of the Court House of said County of Harrison, in the State of West Virginia, sell at public auction to the highest responsible bidder thereof all of the following described lots or parcels of land lying and being in the County of Harrison, State of West Virginia, and bounded and described as follows:

Being all those certain two (2) lots numbered sixty-two (62) and sixty-three (63) of the "Reynolds Addition" to the City of Clarksburg as shown by plat of said Addition of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Harrison County in Deed Book No. 114, page 418. Upon the aforesaid lots there is situated a cottage house and out-buildings.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third of the purchase money, or as much more as the purchaser may elect to pay, in cash on the day of sale, the residue in two equal installments due respectively in six and twelve months after the date of sale, each bearing interest at six per centum from date, for which the purchaser shall give his two equal promissory notes with sufficient personal security, and to further secure the payment of which a vendor's lien shall be retained in the deed of conveyance to the purchaser.

JOHN C. SOUTHERN,

Special Commissioner.

I, J. Wade Coffman, Clerk of the said Circuit Court of Harrison County, do certify that John C. Southern has given bond as required by the above mentioned decree of sale.

Given under my hand this 26th day of October, 1915.

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The above sale is continued until SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1915 at the same hour and place.

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All was quiet at the New York Press Club. "Oh, hum" yawned Bill Williams. "I hope Henry does his Christmas stopping early."

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Home Grown Butter Nuts	15c Gal.
Native Hickory Nuts	10c Pt. 30c Gal.
Cream Nuts	25c Lb.
Budded English Walnuts	30c Lb.
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